

The FCC is charged with regulating the "PUBLIC" airwaves. PLEASE DO YOUR JOBS.

The the anti-Kerry smear "documentary" that Sinclair Broadcasting is forcing their stations to air is a prime example of the problems with media consolidation. We need local control of media and real news not political propaganda dictated by a centralized news bureau.

Rules governing the ownership of media outlets need to be strengthened NOT weakened.

It is decidedly NOT in the public interest for Sinclair Broadcasting or any other company to present opinions disguised as news and air political hit pieces shortly before an election with no chance for fair rebuttal. I strongly urge you to refuse license renewal to WICD (NBC channel 15) of Champaign, Illinois or any other stations that do this.

Serving only the narrow interests of large corporations is damaging to our democracy so again, PLEASE do your jobs and serve the public.

Thank you,  
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